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JNO. O'CONNOR POWER

Addresses a Victoria Audience on Tuesday Night—Is Cordially Received.

In Eloquent Language He Pictures the Political Situation—Impressions Formed.

Yielding to the solicitations of his numerous admirers in this city, Mr. John O'Connor Power, ex-M. P. for the County of Mayo, Ireland, who is at present a guest at the Driard, delivered an address in the Victoria Theatre last (Tuesday) night. Not until Monday night was it known that he would find it convenient to comply with the wishes so strongly urged upon him by many of our citizens. His Worship Mayor Grant occupied the chair. On the platform were the Hon. John Robson, Provincial Secretary, Mr. T. J. Burnes, Mr. J. M. O'Brien, Mr. James Murray and Mr. J. C. McLagan. The theatre was comfortably filled. Amongst those present were a considerable number of ladies and the leading citizens of Victoria.

After being voted to the chair the Mayor briefly alluded to the object of the meeting and the visit to Victoria of the distinguished gentleman who was about to address them. His Worship then read the following:

ADDRESS.

TO MR. JOHN O'CONNOR POWER:

SIR,—It gives no pleasure to welcome so distinguished a gentleman as yourself to this, the Queen City of the West, which bears the name of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria.

I am sure, sir, that the trip across the continent, from the shores of the Atlantic to those of the Pacific, must have led you to form a most favorable impression of our young but vigorous Dominion, whose resources are as varied as inexhaustible.

You must have recognized the fact that on the wide and fertile prairies of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories there are happy homes for the struggling millions of the old world, in whose behalf you have devoted the green days of your life.

The glorious scenery of mountain, lake and valley which you observed as the iron horse whirled you over that gigantic undertaking, for so young a nation—the Canadian Pacific Railway—must long live in your memory as a pleasant feature of your trip to this city.

Doubtless you have learned of the illimitable resources of this province, of its mining, fishing, lumbering and agricultural capabilities, which are destined to raise British Columbia to the status of one of the most important dependencies of the British Empire.

Your brilliant career as a journalist is not unknown to our people, who will look forward to seeing your facile pen doing justice to this lovely land which we proudly call our home.

Many of us are familiar with your parliamentary career in the Imperial House of Commons, and the attitude you have taken on behalf of your fellow countrymen.

Again trusting that your visit has been one of pleasure as well as of profit, and assuring you of a cordial welcome should you again visit us.

JOHN GRANT,
Chairman.

Victoria, B. C., May 29th, 1888.

In presenting Mr. Power with this address Mayor Grant added a few well considered remarks.

On rising to reply to the address Mr. Power was loudly applauded. He thanked His Worship the Mayor for the address as well as for his presence in presiding over so fine a meeting as he now beheld. Here he saw wisdom in the aged countenances of many in the audience; manhood and vigor in its bloom was also apparent, as was also beauty in the faces of the ladies who came out to grace the meeting with their presence. The meeting in short was an ideal one. He was pleased with the reception accorded him by the people of Victoria and grateful to the many who had called upon him at his hotel, all of whom had shown him many acts of kindness. Mr. Power then narrated the object of his visit to Canada. He claimed that no book-reading could so thoroughly impart that knowledge so necessary to a man who was anxious to learn all about the people, their characteristics and form of government as a personal visit. As long a we remain members of the same empire, which he trusted would be as long as the sun marched in its course in the heavens above, we could not but feel a reciprocal interest in the political struggles and aspirations of one another. He then referred to the Imperial Parliament and the magnitude of the British Empire, which embraced a population of 300,000,000 souls. The Dominion of Canada, like the neighboring Republic, had solved one of the most difficult problems of modern statesmanship, for it has known how to reconcile local independence with national unity. Some five years since he had brought under the notice of the Imperial Government the condition of the people in the west of Ireland, where a population of some three hundred thousand persons were crowded together on small patches of land from which it was impossible for them to wring even a bare subsistence. He had proposed that, with a view to relieve this congestion an alternative scheme of migration and emigration. He had received the thanks of the members of the Treasury benches for his efforts, but failed to convince the government of the necessity of granting the relief suggested by him. Inaction in the matter had resulted in a population of at least 250,000 finding their way to a foreign soil. He particularly deplored the fact that they had sunk down in the purlieus of eastern cities instead of taking possession of the still unoccupied land of the west. Depend upon it, said the speaker, those who have possession of the soil are the permanent masters of the country, and those who came first to fields that were new would be the leaders and masters of the countless thousands that are to follow. [Applause.] While passing through Manitoba and the Northwest he had been struck with the fact that up to the present Canada had not attracted a population at all in keeping with its capabilities and apparently inexhaustible resources. In British Columbia there was a wealth of minerals, fish and timber, which when properly developed, would be the means of attracting population and inducing prosperity. The grand and lovely scenery of mountain, stream and woodland had been the theme of many pens, and he trusted would still continue to be until the whole world was informed of the picturesque beauty contained within its borders. Referring to the allusion made in the address to his parliamentary course and the efforts made in behalf of his fellow country-men Mr. Power said that during the eleven years that he had been in the Imperial Parliament he had endeavored to look at every public question, not only from his own point of view but from that of those who might be opposed to him. He claimed that his methods were constitutional and legitimate. It was not enough that the objects of a politician should be honest, but it was necessary that the means which he employed to attain them should be equally above reproach or suspicion. All were the victims, more or less, of prejudice. It became a public man to be on his guard against all these in order to form a correct judgment on public affairs. In alluding to the Irish question he was of the opinion that no solution of the vexed problem was practicable or desirable which did not recognize the imperative necessity of Imperial unity (hear, hear), but subject to that supreme consideration Ireland ought to have the right which prevails in every Province of this Dominion—a right to manage its own domestic affairs. But they must be careful not to deprive Ireland of representation in the Imperial parliament. At a time when colonies remotely separated from the centre of empire were asking for representation it seemed a retrogressive policy to destroy the Imperial representation of any portion of the United Kingdom. If they excluded Ireland from Westminster, he could not see how Westminster could retain any moral authority over those who are excluded. He was a believer in the nationality of Ireland, but he was also a believer in the greater nationality of the United Kingdom, (applause) and he believed equaly in the unity of our common empire at home and abroad. He then referred to the policy which had been pursued towards Ireland extending through many generations and with such disastrous consequences. What, for example, could be more insane than the attempt to make one man worship God according to the dictates of another man's conscience? Yet for a period extending over nearly the whole of one century that was the highest fruit of British statesmanship in the government of Ireland. In forcible language he painted the condition of the people of that country and the evils which divided the two classes, which were the privileged few at the top and the masses at the bottom. Reference was made to the schools and the churches and the manner in which they were endowed and enriched at the expense of the poor and the struggling classes. This policy failed as it justly deserved to, but to be succeeded by a policy of supreme indifference and neglect. He related an amusing incident which took place between Lord Beaconsfield and a member of the Commons, whom the former characterized as a "superior person," an epithet which clung to him throughout his parliamentary career. This person was considered to be qualified for any office in the gift of the British Crown and he was sent to Ireland as its Chief Secretary, with the late Lord Carlisle as Viceroy and Sir Thomas Larcum as Under Secretary. In writing to a friend in England one of these officials said "Carlisle does the dancing; I do the hunting and Larcum does the work." An amusing incident was related about one of these personages who on one occasion is visiting to hounds with his horse fell into a ditch. One of the famous Galway Blazers asked a friend where had the Chief Secretary gone to. The reply was, "He is studying the land question," to which another added that "he was evidently in favor of fixity of tenure." He then referred to the enormous work and business which had to be settled within the four walls of the House of Commons and the responsibility resting upon the fourteen members composing the Imperial Cabinet. It was becoming apparent that they must decentralize so as to make the measure of self-government applicable not only to Ireland but also to Scotland and even to England herself. His contention was that the true solution of their difficulties at the other side was to be found in some arrangement based on the federal system under which they could secure local self-government, national freedom and Imperial unity. He closed his address which was loudly applauded throughout, by thanking the Mayor and the audience for the patient hearing accorded him, assuring them that he would always remember the kindness he had met with here, and resumed his seat amidst great applause.

A vote of thanks was moved to the speaker of the evening by the Hon. John Robson, who expressed his pleasure at being present and all he had heard. He hoped many more of Great Britain's public men would visit this province, for he held it enlarged their views and conceptions of Canada, and especially British Columbia and her resources.

Mr. James Murray, a veteran pioneer, in a few well chosen remarks, seconded the motion.

In acknowledging the thanks of the meeting which he did gracefully, Mr. Powers moved a vote of thanks to His Worship Mayor Grant, which was seconded by Mr. T. J. Burnes. The meeting then was dispersed with cheers and a "tiger" for Mr. Power.

Yale Events.

The Fraser is again booming, the water having risen several feet during the past few days. The weather is hot and dry, and ripe strawberries are becoming plentiful on the mountain slopes.

Col. Gibson returned to town on Sunday's train, and purposes spending a few days with us investigating the auriferous deposits on Siwash creek and other localities. He is en route for England to bring out machinery to work the placer mines in this vicinity, and has the utmost confidence in the success of his scheme and that satisfactory results will be produced. All necessary arrangements have been made with the government for the promotion of the work and he will proceed homeward in a few days to complete his designs.

Yale, May 29.

The Oriental Hotel.

The contract for a new addition to the Oriental Hotel on Yates street was let some days ago and the contractors signed last evening. The addition will make a great improvement in the appearance of Yates street and will make the Oriental one of the finest hotels on the Pacific coast. The addition will be three stories in height with a tower 53 feet above the roof of the third flat. An electric light will be placed in the tower the top of which will be 103 feet from the pavement. The lower floor will be occupied as offices and billiard rooms. On the second storey will be a handsome parlor with bay windows and rooms for guests. The third storey will be occupied by guests with a parlor facing Yates street. Every convenience will be provided and an elevator will carry the guests to the upper floors. A hard-wood staircase will be placed in the new premises. The tower will be higher than any building in the city and will afford a splendid view of the surrounding country. Work will be commenced immediately. The successful tenderers were: M. Humber, brick and stone work; Daniel McPhee, carpenter work; W. Fetherick, plastering and cement work; Stevens and Conley, iron work; Colbert and Warner, gas and water; R. Lettice, painting and glazing.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

Reciprocal Trade with the United States—Tupper Will Urge the Scheme.

Ayrshire Wins the Derby To-day—Forty Thousand Irish People to be Evicted.

COMMERCIAL RECIPROCITY.

Ottawa, May 30—Sir Charles Tupper, who is now on his way to England, has instructions to urge on the Imperial and Colonial governments to proceed with negotiations to establish a system of reciprocity between the British American provinces, the West India possessions and Australian dependencies.

STARTLING EVIDENCE.

St. John, N. B., May 30—Some startling facts relative to the defunct Maritime Bank leaked out in court here yesterday. The evidence justified the suspicion that MacLellan, the manager, kept two sets of books to hide the true state of the banks affairs from the directors. MacLellan is said to be operating now in real estate in Omaha.

CABLE NEWS.

KING OF SWEDEN IN LONDON.

London, May 30—The King of Sweden is to arrive in London this week from Lisbon, and will be present at the state ball next Wednesday. The Prince and Princess of Wales are to give a dinner at Marlborough House in his honor.

AYRSHIRE WINS THE DERBY.

London, May 30.—Ayrshire won the Derby to-day; Cranberry second, Vandremens third.

FORTY THOUSAND TO BE EVICTED.

Dublin, May 30—William O'Brien, in the course of his speech at Limerick yesterday, stated that forty thousand tenants had received notices of eviction.

THE GRAND TRUNK OF CANADA.

London, May 30—A special meeting of the stockholders of the Grand Trunk railway to decide on the acceptance of the provisional act of 1888, has been called for June 7. If the act's provisions are accepted resolutions will be submitted for creating debenture and preference stock, and for the approval or otherwise of traffic contract, with the Chicago and Grand Trunk and Saginaw and Muskegan railroads. Permission has been obtained to run steamships between Atlantic ports and Great Britain.

RELAPSED AND IS IMPROVING.

Milan, May 30—The Emperor of Brazil, who had another relapse yesterday has again improved.

STEALING AN ISLAND.

London, May 30.—A French gunboat has hoisted the tri-color over Mailes Island. This is one of the Marquesas group, hitherto recognized as one of the Channel Islands. Lord Salisbury will maintain England's claims to the island.

THE POPE AND THE NATIONALISTS.

Rome, May 30—The Pope follows with close attention the proceedings of the meetings held in Ireland for the purpose of protesting against the Papal rescript. His Holiness and the Vatican are convinced that opposition to the decree is purely factious and owes its origin to the disappointed members of the Nationalist party.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

RUSSIA'S ONWARD MARCH.

New York, May 30:—A cablegram to the *World* from London says: By the completion of the Russian railway to Samarcand the armies of Russia are enabled to reach Northern India in five days, and Afghanistan is not so far off as it was. England's scares seems to have some basis when this fact is taken into account.

A VESSEL WRECKED.

San Francisco, May 30.—A dispatch to the Merchants' Exchange from London this morning says news has been received there of the wreck of the British bark Henry James, from Newcastle, N. S. W., for San Francisco. Thirty of the crew and passengers had been landed at Palmyra Islands.

SHOOTING IN CALIFORNIA.

Salinas, Cala., May 29—Last night Harry Hurdt, jeweller, here, shot G. Lapierre, keeper of a restaurant. Lapierre will die.

WANT OUR ORE EXCLUDED.

Washington, May 25—A complaint has reached the Treasury Department from Northern Idaho with regard to the large importations being made there of lead ore from the British Dominions. Extensive mines of galena have been found on the line of the Canadian Pacific road and it is being brought across the border into Idaho to be reduced. The complaint says the ore is extraordinary in fineness, running as high as 60 per cent. of lead and with some silver deposits. It is coming into competition with the productions of the mines of Idaho, and the complaint is based on that ground. The treasury department is uncertain what position to take upon this question. Silver ores are admitted free of duty, and it is claimed that if this galena is found to contain silver enough to make it the component of chief value in these ores the duty could not be charged on it. The recommendation has been made to the department that a government agent should be stationed near the border to intercept this product and see that it pays the proper rate of duty. The department will probably investigate.

SHIPPING NOTES.

San Francisco, May 30—Arrived: Str. Oregon, Portland. Sailed: Ship Frederick Billings, Port Townsend.

Death of Mrs. Lovett.

At 9 o'clock this morning Mrs. Catherine Lovett passed away. Deceased was aged 65 years, and was a native of Montgomery, Alabama. With her late husband the deceased arrived in this city in 1860 and lived on Blanchard street since her arrival. Mrs. Lovett was the only daughter of John Fairfax, of Montgomery, Alabama, and leaves no relatives excepting a step-sister, who is residing in that place. The cause of death was heart disease and a post-mortem examination was held by Dr. J. D. Helmcken this afternoon. The deceased was ailing for some time and was unconscious for two days. She was greatly beloved by a large circle of friends, and her death will be a great loss to the needy and suffering. Due notice of the funeral will be given to-morrow.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.

THE YALE OFFICIAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—The people of this vicinity were somewhat amused at the communication in last week's TIMES over the signature of one "Tax Payer," of Lytton, on the subject of "How Officials are Treated," in which the writer pitiably decried the removal of Mr. Dodd, the government agent, from that jug-handled town to the more central and natural site, the town of Yale. Now, sir, as you are well aware, I am no apologist for the eccentricities of our very peculiar government, but I am a firm believer in "rendering unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's," and in the removal of the agent to this place the government is only doing what the location demands and what the people and I believe, Mr. Dodd himself, will heartily approve of. If your correspondent ever gave the matter a moment's consideration he must have seen that his motive in writing and that of the petitioners against the removal was a very selfish one. In the first place the accommodation for the agent himself at Lytton are very poor, there being only a very small and inferior house for his family, whilst here we have a building that cost a few years ago about $2500, and a fine plot of ground attached. In the next place the great majority of the settlers and tax-payers of the district are west of Lytton and even west of North Bend. If "Tax Payer" will take the pains to investigate the matter, he will find that from Lytton to North Bend there are not 20 settlers to be found; that upwards of $300 was added to the revenue by post office orders sent from this place alone to Lytton during the past six months, and that to have the government office at Lytton is very much like going around by Cariboo to get to Kamloops. In fact the office should never have been removed from this place at all, and that it should be re-established is only the natural result that trade like water will find its level. This town is surrounded by valuable mineral wealth, which is being constantly sought after and claims located, and in the near future the enterprise and developments of this place will make it a point of vast importance and the hub of the Cascade range. Our sister town of Hope to the west of us is a well-settled district and bids fair to soon become a thriving little town, and the agricultural district of Agassiz, which is the western limit of the Yale subdivision, is rapidly growing into wealth and importance. It will thus be seen that between North Bend and Agassiz the large majority of the population of the district must congregate. At Boston Bar alone there have been about 150 Chinese engaged in mining during the past three or four years, and yet I do not believe over half of them have either paid taxes or license. This year they have been better looked after by our officials, but their numbers are greatly reduced. With the government agent and a wide-awake, energetic constable like we have at present stationed here, a vast improvement will be noticed and the revenue largely augmented. Ashcroft has an energetic tax collector, and that is quite sufficient for the eastern end of the subdivision, and we cannot think that Mr. Dodd asks the people for their sympathy nor thanks Mr. Taxpayer for his mournful effusion, which savors so strongly of a selfish spirit. We fancy, however, that the Provincial Secretary will only smile at the puny effort made to "pull the wool over his eyes," and will consign the miniature petition sent him to its proper place in the big basket under the table. REASON.

Yale, May 28th.

A FIREMAN'S DENIAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR—M. Young, of the New England Bakery, having made a statement which appeared in yesterday's *Colonist* to the effect that it was fully twenty minutes after the alarm sounded on Sunday evening last before we got a stream on the fire, I cannot allow such to pass unchallenged. I, for one, most emphatically deny the truth of Mr. Young's remarks, and every person (disinterested) will bear me out when I claim that it was not five minutes after the bells sounded before we had two good streams from the hydrants to bear on the flames.

HOSEMAN, No. 3 Co., V. F. D.

Victoria, May 30.

The Caterpillar.

A well known and successful orchardist of this city, says the Tacoma *News*, paid a visit to Victoria during the late festivities. Of course once there he sought the orchards, and was surprised to find what a state they were in. The caterpillar pest has destroyed every vestige of fruit foliage in sight. The apple trees particularly suffering. Once one of these trees is despoiled they descend and attack the currant bushes and cherry trees. One peculiarity of these rapacious insects is that they even destroy the stems of the leaves, something heretofore seldom happening. The orchardist might have gone further and stated that they are now taking possession of the sidewalks and the fences. So numerous are they that lovers' meetings over the fence and gate are temporarily suspended, for the caterpillar is no respecter of persons or position. Gate and fence to it are alike and there they like to revel in the cool of the evening much to the annoyance of lovers.

A Suicide Craze in Donald.

DONALD, B C, May 30.—A young man named Henry Jackson, from England, and lately employed at Donald boarded the west bound train this morning and got off at Beaver, and there committed suicide by taking laudanum. He died in two hours after taking the poison. He has papers stating he comes from one of the oldest families in England. He left a letter saying he was in trouble but did not give particulars.

Mrs. Curran, a resident of Donald, committed suicide yesterday morning by taking carbolic acid. She died instantly. She left a husband a four small children, the youngest, an infant about three months old. She was supposed to be temporarily insane. This is the third case of poisoning in Donald in the last fortnight.

The Customs Collectorship.

Senator McDonald whilst in New Westminster last Monday, in speaking of the rumor that he would be appointed to the customs collectorship of the port of Victoria, said he knew nothing about it—he had asked for no office and had been offered none. Of course not. That is the story of every political office-hunter. They get there all the same.

The Firemen's Supper.

After a thorough drill at the corner Johnson and Government street the firemen were entertained at bakery. After a few songs at time they dispersed.

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WILL THERE BE WAR?

The Berlin correspondent of the New York World cables that journal that military movements on the frontier are progressing rapidly. The official military organ publishes orders for strengthening the eastern garrisons in the districts of Neidenburg, Solden and Lyck. Austrian papers say that within the next few weeks the garrisons of Galicia will be increased by eighteen battalions. Reinforcements are going to the Herzegovian frontier and also to Montenegrio. The Pesther Lloyd warns Prince NICHOLAS that Austria will not long tolerate a robber state in her vicinity, and that if, under orders from Russia, he disturbs the peace, he will be crushed and Montenegrio will cease to exist before its friends can interfere. The threat is well backed. The Austrian war office is certain its troops can sweep over Montenegrio with little resistance. Gen. VON PLANITZ, accompanied by a number of Saxon staff officers, has inspected the fort work at Cracow and other expected centers of operations. The Brataino party in Roumania has issued a manifesto explicitily declaring that it is in favor of an alliance with Germany and Austria, and denouncing Russia as Roumania's enemy.

In the course of a debate in the lower house of the Hungarian Diet at Pesth to-day Herr VON TISZA, Prime Minister, in renewing the refusal of the government to be represented at the Paris exhibition, said he even could not advise Hungarians personally to send exhibits. The government, he declared, was bound to consider what might happen if the political situation should become more complicated. It must be remembered that at times popular feeling in France would become excited, and it might happen that against the wish of the French government the property of Hungarian subjects would be damaged and the national flag insulted. The statement caused a sensation in the House. After a pause the Prime Minister added that France would certainly not take the non-representation of Hungary as an affront.

NO MORE STAR CHAMBERS.

The members of the School Board are to be congratulated upon their change of base in the manner of appointing teachers. Hitherto it has been the custom, when a teacher was to be appointed, to go into secret session, and with the door of the chamber locked, and the key in the chairman's pocket, and the blinds drawn tight, the custodians of our school affairs would let themselves loose in discussions affecting the welfare of the schools and personal fitness of each individual applicant. It was a star chamber of the worst kind, and indicated a moral cowardice that the smallest urchin in the high school would be ashamed to be guilty of. But, happily, the trustees have themselves been convinced of the absurdity of the practice, and have resolved that in future their meetings will be with open doors—free to all who may wish to enter. This is right. It is in accord with the practice elsewhere, and will tend to establish confidence in the Trustees and in the management of our school affairs generally. Chairman HAYWARD and all the members of the Board are to be commended for voluntarily relinquishing a practice which long ago had outlived its usefulness.

An amusing incident happened when the chairman made a motion and was about to put it to the meeting, when some of the other trustees objected on the ground that it was contrary to the general rules of order governing such bodies. Public bodies of this kind should at least study the rules laid down for their government. ROBERTS says, in his "Rules of Order:" "That before a member can make a motion or address the assembly upon a question it is necessary that he obtain the floor, that is, he must rise and address the presiding officer by his title, thus: 'Mr. Chairman,' who will then announce the member's name." Imagine the position assumed last evening by the chairman. On rising to address the chairman he would have to say, "Mr. HAYWARD, I beg leave to move," &c. In the first place it could hardly be maintained, seated, as he was, in an elevated chair and at a distance from the other members, that he could take the floor, and in the second place it must have been difficult for Mr. CHARLES HAYWARD to address Mr. CHARLES HAYWARD without he had a large mirror placed at the other end of the Council room, or, by stretching his imagination, he saw his *alter ego* in front of him. We are aware the position of Chairman of our School Board is an important one, but it seems to be one different from other bodies of a similar character. It will be in order at the next meeting of the School Board to resolve that "Robert's Rules of Order" are inadequate for the present advanced opinion of parliamentarians of the Pacific Coast, and that a committee be formed for the purpose of having this matter set right.

LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

There was a large, intelligent and appreciative audience in the Victoria Theatre last night to greet Mr. J. O'CONNOR POWER and listen to his eloquence when addressing a Victoria audience on topics which to them would be of interest. Mr. POWER is still a young man for an old country politician. He is a cultured gentleman, uses choice language in the construction of his eloquent sentences. he is fluent of speech, possessing an easy, graceful delivery. In voice he is not strong, nor is he impassioned in his utterances. It was evident last night from the start that he was in perfect touch with his audience, which he kept rivetted to his remarks throughout his speech. Those who heard the gentleman and are capable of judging his merits pay him the compliment of saying that his address was one of the best ever listened to in this city. Throughout his speech he was moderate in his views and expressions, at once imparting the impression to those hearing him that he was an earnest man—a lover and upholder of the unity of the British empire. We understand that in some respects he differs with the methods adopted by the Home Rulers to carry their point. He favors the scheme of giving Ireland the control of her own local affairs; very much similar to the system now prevailing in the Canadian provinces and their relation to Ottawa. But whilst in favor of Home Rule for Ireland he is in favor of the higher aspiration, of maintaining the unity and supremacy of the British Empire. In short, he can well be classified as a believer in, and an advocate of, the new dogma, that of an Imperial federation of all the British Colonies. His description of how matters have been managed in the land of his nativity for several centuries was at once graphic and pathetic. Equally forcible were his remarks relating to emigration and the illimitable possibilities of the great Northwest and our own Province.

His non-reference to the Hon. W. E. GLADSTONE, or Mr. PARNELL and other prominent Liberal leaders, by some is interpreted to mean that he is not in accord with them on the great question which agitates the people of the United Kingdom and Ireland and in which the people of the Colonial dependencies take so much interest. Mr. POWER took for the text of his remarks the address presented him by Mayor GRANT. He could not, with good taste, introduce any foreign subject, and as no names were mentioned in that address Mr. POWER, as a matter of course, could not make any reference to them.

If the Nationalists were all as moderate in their views as is Mr. POWER it is difficult to comprehend why Home Rule should be denied them a week longer. Never before did the vast majority of those present listen to a more logical address. Every word and sentence had its full meaning. It was an intellectual treat such as Victorians are seldom privileged in listening to, and one which will long be remembered by all who heard him. We believe those who took the matter in hand of inducing Mr. POWER to enlighten our people on the topics touched upon by him are entitled to the gratitude of the community, for had he been allowed to take his departure without expressing his views it is not likely the subjects would have been so thoroughly well understood as they are to-day. He leaves us to-night by way of Vancouver for the Sound and California. It is possible he will return by way of Victoria on his homeward bound trip over the Canadian Pacific. As yet he has not visited western Ontario, but will do so before crossing the Atlantic. Neither his voice nor his pen will be spared in sounding the praises of this province and the beautiful city of Victoria, of which he carries away remembrances of the most pleasant character. We shall yet again hear of last Tuesday night's meeting and the cordial reception Victorians extended to Mr. JOHN O'CONNOR POWER one of Ireland's most eloquent, earnest, honest political sons.

In 1880, it is said, there were not more than 5,000 Jews in the Holy Land. Now there are more than 30,000. The State Legislature of Palestine must have reduced taxation and raised the rates of interest.

The New York Legislature has passed a bill providing for the appointment of police matrons for every police station in every city in the State, to assist in the care of the unfortunate of their sex who are arrested for drunkenness and other crimes. This is an arrangement so obviously needed in the interests of propriety and morality that the wonder is it does not obtain in every Christian community.

A Washington despatch of last Sunday states that from present indications the Republican senators will succeed on Monday in their purpose to secure the discussion of the fisheries treaty in open session. The opposition of Senator Hale has prevented them from having a majority for the proposition. It is understood now that Senator Hale has telegraphed from New York, taking sides with his party. This will give the Republicans a majority if a vote is taken, and the only way by which the Democrats can obstruct the carrying out of this programme is by refusing to vote. In case of their refusal to vote the Republicans would be without a quorum. That the Democrats will resort to this form of opposition there is little room to doubt; but it is declared that notice has been served on them that if any attempt is made at filibustering the Republicans will stop all other executive business until a vote on holding an open session on the treaty is had. This would mean, if nothing more serious, holding over the nomination of Fuller to be chief justice. Therefore there is every reason to believe the senate will decide to consider the treaty in open session.

An instance of the changing currents of trade, in obedience to the pressure of new routes and added facilities, is found in the sale last week, by a Toronto house, of a considerable line of fine green trees of its own importation from China, via the Pacific ocean and the C. P. Railway, in competition against all the English samples of similar character. This may be taken to demonstrate that it is possible to lay down China teas in Eastern Canada cheaper than similar goods can be imported by way of London.

The report of the Quebec Government Royal Commission of Agriculture now before the Assembly, records the visit of the committee to the principal agricultural portions of Ontario, of which it speaks in most flattering terms. It also eulogizes the agricultural college at Guelph and concludes by recommending the abolition of agricultural schools in this province, and the establishment of a central institution of the kind for the whole province after the manner of that at Guelph, Ontario.

A Warning.

The modes of death's approach are various, and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from diseases of the throat and lungs than any other. It is probable that everyone, without exception, receives vast numbers of tubercle germs into the system and when these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly and is shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the head, causing catarrh. Now all this is dangerous and if allowed to proceed will in time cause death. At the onset you must act with promptness; allowing a cold to go without attention is dangerous and may lose you your life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your throat, lungs or nostrils, obtain a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. It will give you immediate relief.

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We found him, our friend the Winnipeg man, eagerly devouring the "tobacco leaf" at Campbell's corner. In appearance very little changed; the store clothing had lost its lustre, bagged at the knees were the pants and a bursted seam here and there told of premature decay. In other respects but little changed since our first acquaintance a few weeks ago. Theatrically pointing to the leading editorial of our morning contemporary, the *Colonist* of Saturday last, displayed on Frank's blackboard, he exclaimed: "There, just my ideas expressed to you at our last interview. Yes, sir! You Victorians must come to it, and the sooner the better. Old-timers and monopolists, grab-all's and others of that kidney, must give way. The time's not far distant when your bloated landowners will find that Vancouver Island was not made for them alone. The great avalanche of immigration will pour in on your "tight little island" in spite of all you can do. The last spike driven on the C. P. R was the first nail in the coffin of your insular exclusiveness! You've, so to speak, "boycotted" us wise men from the east. Antiquated narrow-mindedness, conceived and born of avaracious greed, must succumb to our more enlightened ideas of advancement and expansion! The many must not suffer for the whims of a minority. By the bye, I had a dream the other day. Have you time? Yes; just listen:

"The other day about noon found me in the shady retreat of the 'Boomerang,' tired and disappointed. Had been all morning hunting up a job; first in a brickyard, then at a tannery, a brewery and such like genteel employment, calculated to improve my slight knowledge of chemistry. No go as usual; us Winnipegers have no chance, that's a fact. I had a solitary quarter; got "free lunch" at the Boomerang. Tom Cliff is an excellent hand at clam soup; knows how to make toothsome dishes—was a tooth-maker in the blooming Hold Country yer know. His partner, old Mac, is very pressing, so I had a good whack at the grub. Fortune sent in a dapper little chap with a big dog. He set up the schooners and breezed about old times in Cariboo, and might have been going on till now only I put him him off the lead by mentioning Egham, Stainer, and Windsor, Runnymeade, Magna Charter Island, the Bell's Cusley, and the Catherine Wheel! Well, the day was warm and I thought I'd chew the cud of contentment in the 6x8 bowery gardens of the Boomerang. Whether it was the heavy meal, beer, or the chatter of the little chap from Windsor about the excellency of bacon and broad beans washed down by Neville Reid's best of the Barley Mow, Inglefield green, I don't know, but I slept. I dreamt that I was here in Victoria looking for a job and could get none. My talk with you had got into the paper, and coming to the notice of the City Fathers and the law givers of Isreal; well, they sent for me, fixed things up somehow as generally happens in dreams, and packed me off to the east, for, said they, if you remain here you'll, by your radical talk, mine under the very foundations of our most sacred institutions. In fact they hinted that it was a danger to the state and the body politic to have the like of me around. There's an old Spanish saying "that an empty sack can't stand." Well, I could not stand, so I wilted. Before leaving I gave them a piece of my mind about their natural advantages and so forth, and told them that some of them would not take up quarters at the Ross bay retreat till my views were fulfilled regarding their beautiful city. I left, shaking the dust off my feet, sought fields and pastures new, where brains and genius were valued, welcomed, and encouraged, so different from Victoria of the present.

Many years had elapsed. Fortune again, under brighter prospects, lead me to visit your shores. What a change had taken place, far indeed beyond my wildest dreams! Steaming gently into the Royal Roads on one of the many vessels that ploughed your waters, through a laybrinth of shipping, treading our way, as it were, through a forest of masts, what a panoramic view presented itself before me! The harbor deepened by dredging and other engineering expedients, was crowded, the vessels displaying the flags of all nations that on earth doth dwell. Massive cut stone wharves and docks, girded the circular shore line. The busy hum of activity arose from the crowded quays, while on either hand rose the tall chimneys of smoky factories. Here were large ship building yards, covering some hundreds of acres, all the way from Esquimalt almost to Ross bay, from which came the clanging sound of many hammers, and the huge hulls of vessels on the numerous stocks seemed to grow as I gazed on the scene! The iron smelting furnace, only talked of when here before, had now many companions, and the harsh cringing sound of the powerful rollers, turning out plates of every conceivable thickness, for the ever increasing demand in ship building and railways, seemed to chime in unison with the other sounds of mighty industry. The measured thuds of power hammers seemed to shake the very earth. I landed on a wide, handsome quay, somewhere about the old Hudson Bay warehouse. It encircled the whole harbor, traversed by many lines of trains and elevated railroad for passenger traffic. All was changed. From Douglas street to the quays was all occupied by warehouses and offices necessary for a large commercial industry. Even the unsightly heap of brick in Bastion square, with its bastile-like design and its corner martello towers, had disappeared. On enquiry no one seemed to recollect it. At the junction of Johnson and Douglas streets was a large open square, its center occupied by a beautiful structure of marble and polished granite in the Corinthian style of architecture. This was the City Hall! The leading artery of this beautiful city was a street some two chains wide extending to Esquimalt. Here were shops and marts unequalled. Fountains played amidst the forest of shade trees that lined all the streets superseding the ugly verandas of former times. The well block-paved streets showed an almost absence of our familiar friend the dust. Lines of electric and elevated railways traversed all the leading thoroughfares. Government street was no more a hack stand. Cadboro bay had become one of the most fashionable suburban residential localities. Standing on Church Hill the city appeared to extend far beyond the vision in every direction. Large, commodious markets were established in the centers of population, and the farmers of the Island supplied the market of Victoria with the produce needed besides some for export to the mining districts on the Mainland. Buildings of brick and stone were the rule, not the exception, and even the ornamental grounds of private dwellings seemed varied in style and not as like each other as two peas. The Beacon Hill park had lost its unreclaimed appearance. A substantial iron railing enclosed its borders; numerous groves, shady gravel walks, with ever changing borders of choicest flowers were there. That charity-hospital-looking building, the Agricultural Hall, was changed; its grounds allotted for botanical and horticultural gardens supported by the city, while away up at the flag-staff was a large fountain in constant play, its waters, on occasion, irrigating the hillsides, thereby keeping up a permanent verdure. Mazes, lovers walks and bowers were numerous. There were ornamental waters, a Serpentine, Ladies' Mile, and a Rotten Row! Neatly uniformed park rangers patrolled the grounds; rowdyism was absent—so was the dust, the Park Hotel, and that bilious looking band stand. James Bay bridge was a thing of the past. A wide esplanade occupied the site; the corner of the bay on the left as you crossed was filled in, and the center of the space thus reclaimed occupied by a stately pile. The statute on top, blindfolded and a pair of scales, told of its being the Palace of Justice. The East Indian compound, formerly used for government departmental offices and Parliament House, had given way to buildings, in keeping with the wealth and importance of a Province that had become the brightest diamond in the Imperial diadem, which now commanded the trade and commerce of not only the western seaboard but also that of Oceanica and the Orient. Its natural products in inexhaustible supplies of iron, coal, and other minerals had in a short decade made it the Britain of the Pacific. Its dormant resources had been awakened; Pharoes had arisen that knew not Joseph. Monopoly was broken. The cry arose of the land for the people. The bursting of one ring led to the bursting of another. Energy had supplanted the hoarding mania of a previous generation. A wise wild land tax settled the hash in that direction. Emulation had sprung up with the incoming of immigration. The neglected agricultural interests received proper attention from the Legislature. Victoria became a city of 200,000 inhabitants, and the island population increased to 2,000,000! Somehow, according to the way of dreams, I was banqueted, feasted, and honored, and while declaiming on the great prosperity of Victoria, which, instead of being a mere resort for dyspeptics and enfeebled constitutions from southern lands, had attained the very pinnacle of commercial and manufacturing prosperity. Amidst a mighty crash from the brazen throats of the city band, the booming of artillery and the shouts of thousands of voices, the fair vision faded. The crash was myself tumbling amongst the empty bottles and played-out cupidores of the Boomerang. It was only a dream. Say, should you hear of a job, anything, you know, from ——. What, you're going, are you?"

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"Land Registry Ordinance, 1876."

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CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 1st March 1888. fe29 3m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of Neufelder & Ross has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due the late firm must be paid to Mr. Dixie H. Ross, who will assume all liabilities and continue the business under the firm name of Dixie H. Ross & Co.

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Victoria, Wednesday, May 30, 1888

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Ice Cream at Seitz's. *

—Oysters and Turtles at Poodle Dog.

—Call and see Fisher & Wilson, architects, before ordering plans. *

—Thirty Belgians arrived recently to work in the Vancouver coal mine.

—Milk Punch and Champagne Cocktails at the Pritchard House. *

—A. C. West, Dentist, extracts teeth absolutely without pain by a new process

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., and views of Alaska for sale at R. Maynard's, Douglas St.

—Hot luncheon between 12 and 2:30 daily, except Sunday, at the Boomerang. McDermott & Cliffe, proprietors. *

—Modern building for the least possible money. See Fisher & Wilson, architects. *

—New Opening.—A large stock of Gents' Scarfs and Ties; the very latest styles and patterns, at the Golden Rule Clothing Store, Yates street.

—The only case in the police court this morning was a summons against a man named Cummingsford. He did not appear.

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work. *

—Signor Campobello, the Italian Scotchman, who gave a society concert in this city a few weeks ago, was arrested in San Francisco on Friday for a paltry debt due in Fresno. He at once gave bonds and was liberated.

—Neither mind nor body can act healthfully, if the blood is vitiated. Cleanse the vital current from impurities by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This remedy purifies the blood, recruits the wasted energies, and restores health to the debilitated system. *

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—The good opinion of the public, in regard to Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, is confirmed by clergymen, lawyers, public speakers and actors. All say it is the best remedy for affections of the throat and lungs. *

Arrived!

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar. *

No Flies.

A correspondent writes that there are no mosquitoes at Harrison Hot Springs, and there will be little trouble from them this year as the water is now low.

To the Ladies.

A large stock of Whitney's celebrated baby carriages just received by John Weiler, Fort street. *

The P. O. Savings Bank.

The P. O. Savings Bank will be opened here on Friday. The Dominion Bank will be continued in Victoria but discontinued in New Westminster, where Mr. Harrington is to-day arranging for the transfer of the office from Mr. J. S. Clute to Mr. Brown, the Postmaster. A savings bank will be opened in connection with the Postoffice at Vancouver.

Fire Tournament.

President Kellogg of the firemen's association says a convention will be held at Seattle on July 2nd and 3rd and a tournament on the 4th, 5th and 6th. The sum of $2,000 was set aside for the tournament.

The New Plush Cretonnes.

Beautiful patterns in this stylish material for Curtains, &c, just received at the City House. *

Mail for the Arctic.

The whaling bark Thomas Pope will sail for the Arctic on the 1st of June, from San Francisco, acting as the tender to the whaling fleet. She will carry up a large quantity of supplies and will return in September. She will take about two tons of mail matter addressed to the men on the whaling fleet.

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The SS Zambesi.

This steamer is an extra boat in the line of the C. P. R. between China, Japan and this coast. She is due in San Francisco in a few days, having on board 850 Chinamen and a full cargo. She will land passengers and cargo at San Francisco, where she will load part of a general cargo and proceed thence to Portland where flour and general merchandise will be taken on board. From Portland she will come to Vancouver from which port she will sail some time in July.

Black Dress Materials a Specialty.

Ladies who wear Black from choice will always find the most varied selection at the City House. *

Base Ball Notes.

The following table shows the number of games lost and won by the clubs of the National League and American Association up to and including Thursday May 24th. Boston won 18, lost 9; Detroit won 15, lost 11; New York won 13, lost 10; Chicago won 20, lost 6; Philadelphia won 10, lost 13; Pittsburg won 10, lost 15; Washington won 5, lost 19; Indianapolis won 10, lost 16; St Louis won 17, lost 6; Baltimore won 11, lost 14; Athertis won 12, lost 14; Louisville won 9, lost 18; Cincinnati won 22, lost 5; Brooklyn won 18, lost 9; Cleveland won 8, last 19; Kansas City won 6, lost 19.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Monthly Meeting—Light Breaking in Respect to Secret Sessions.

The School Board met last night at the usual hour and place. Present: Messrs. Hayward, Walker, Milne, Harris and Heisterman. The monthly report was presented. It showed an average daily attendance of 971, or 46 pupils to each teacher. Secretary Walker reported one teacher absent three days visiting Westminster which the board thought a little irregular as leave of absence had not formally been obtained. Report adopted.

Principal Halliday reported Miss Wolfenden off duty on 21st, and Miss Cameron was also reported absent on same day. A motion by Dr. Milne, that teachers when absenting themselves would be required to provide substitutes, was carried.

Mr. J. A. Halliday was granted a testimonial of success to enable him to renew his certificate.

On the application of the teachers, it was decided to give the sum of $87.50 for prizes to be divided between the central and ward schools.

Resolved, That the usual steps be taken in connection with the annual meeting and election of trustees, which takes place in June; the annual meeting to be held on on the second Monday and the election on the Monday following. Messrs. Hayward, Walker and Heisterman were appointed to draw up the annual report.

On the matter of appointing teachers for the ensuing year the chairman proposed that the selections be made in open meeting.

Dr. Milne moved, seconded by Mr. Harris, that all the present teachers be reappointed, provided they obtain the necessary certificates. Carried.

The board adjourned at 8 o'clock.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

For Queen Charlotte.

The C. P. N. Co.'s steamer Maude having a party from Victoria on board, will leave this afternoon for Queen Charlotte Island. Amongst the number are Capt. Jno. Irving, ex-Mayor Fell, Messrs. W. A. Robertson, Jas Deans, W. Fawcett, Lewis and Hardie, the latter of the powder works, and others. They expect to be absent a couple of weeks.

The S. S. Abyssinia.

The steamer Abyssinia, Capt. Lee, of the C.P.R. Steamship line, left Vancouver at 2:30 on Tuesday afternoon and Victoria at 9 o'clock on her way to Japan and China with a full cargo of freight and full complement of passengers. The Yosemite left her wharf at the terminal city at the same time. A race took place between the two vessels to Active Pass, the Abyssinia entering first, followed closely by the Yosemite. Capt. Urquhart had charge of the China steamer.

The Derville Comedy Co.

This evening the Derville Family play a return engagement at the Victoria Theatre. To all lovers of music and fun we would recommend them to see the above company. The children are without doubt the cleverest little people on the American stage while the others of the combination are all artists of true merit and rare ability. Judging by the warm reception they received last Thursday we predict a large audience to-night. They give an entire change of programme each evening.

Marine Notes.

Bark Helios arrived at Moodyville on Sunday.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz sails for the North this evening.

The bark Briar Holme was towed to sea last night by the tug Pilot

The bark Ulleck was towed to Hastings' to load lumber, by the Alexander.

The ship J. S. Spinney, 1,895 tons, will load coal at Nanaimo for San Francisco.

The barks Aldergrove and Petro Bee finished loading lumber at Hastings today and will sail in a few days.

The following vessels are chartered to load lumber at Burrard Inlet: Bolivian bark Bundaleer, 921 tons, to San Pedro; Norwegian bark, Olaf Fryguason, 870 tons, to Melbourne, at 53s. 6d.

From Alberni.

The C. P. N. Co.'s steamer Maude arrived this morning from Alberni and the west coast. Amongst her passengers were Messrs. Roberts, D. Little and T. Fletcher. Her consignees were Messrs. E Stephenson, Hy Woodward, Angus & Gordon, W P Sayward, J H Todd & Son, P Shaw, Hy Saunders, Thos Earle and J D Warren. There was nothing of more than ordinary importance transpiring in that section of the province. The crops are looking well, and the settlers are in good spirits, believing that they have now rounded the corner of their worst days. The establishment of a regular steamship service is reported by them as a good omen of what they may expect in the future. Several new arrivals are reported amongst others a family just out from Argyleshire, Scotland.

The trip homewards was a somewhat boisterous one, all on board being sick.

Contract Awarded.

The tenders for the construction of the Matsqui dyke were opened yesterday (Tuesday) afternoon in the office of the secretary of the company, Mr. H. E. Croasdaile, Government street, the tender of Mr. G. A. Keefer was accepted. The figures are in the neighborhood of $30,000. Work will be commenced as soon as the high water subsides and pushed on to completion with all possible haste until the dyke, which is to be some nine miles in length, is completed. This accomplished some ten thousand acres of the finest land in the province will be reclaimed from the overflow of the Fraser and brought under cultivation. The land lies in close proximity to the Fraser river and the line of the C.P.R., for the Mission station is not more than one mile from the lands to be benefitted by the improvement which the dyke will bring about. When it is known that the lands have been reclaimed settlers will pour in, roads will be built and the section become one of the best in the famous Fraser river valley.

—Ross & Ceperley, Real Estate and Insurance. C. P. R. Co.'s lots for sale; correspondence solicited. P. O. Block, Hastings street, Vancouver, B. C. *

TRAFFICKING IN GIRLS

A Trafficker in Human Flesh—A Magnetic Healer Turned Slave Dealer.

An Unprecedented Case of Villainy—Details of the Plot Laid Bare.

It is our painful duty to publish the detailed account of certain operations, the like of which is not in the memory of the oldest resident of this province, and for vileness of purpose, for the audacity of the operator, and the utterly revolting nature of the crime, has never been surpassed. It all happened within seeing distance of the police, and it will be unanimously pronounced by a very patient public to be a crime, for which the perpetrator or perpetrators, as there were accomplices in it, should be visited with the extreme penalty of the law. For some time past there has been seen in the quiet streets of this city a man who went by the

NAME OF MENZIES,

by occupation a magnetic healer, and through arrogance became familiarly styled "The Professor." In habit, deportment and address there was nothing about him that could be called peculiar. In fact, such a prepossessing appearance has he, that the unwary soon become favorably impressed. To the more wide-awake, however, the steady fastening of his eyes upon the ground when in conversation, or whilst making strenuous efforts to air his magnetic beneficence, is not without significance, particularly as it is invariably accompanied by a semi-nervous demonstration of the fingers. For a while it was believed his whole energies were concentrated upon

THE LEGITIMATE ART OF HEALING,

but a month or six weeks ago it came to the knowledge of one who was in a position to know, that this magnetism was being exerted with more than usual vigor on two young girls of this city, Chinese girls, to be sure, but girls nevertheless. Whereas in his ordinary course of practice he could perform his operations unaided in this new department, he had to secure the services of a woman well known to the police, though recognized by the harmless cognomen of simply "Mrs. Crawford" who, as will be shown further on, became his companion in crime. The two girls in question were at one time inmates of the "Home" for Chinese girls and women, rescued from

SLAVERY AND SHAME

by Mr. J. E. Gardner, a gentleman who had taken a deep interest in rescuing Chinese girls from lives of shame; but these two disliking the rules and discipline of all well regulated institutions of a like reformatory nature, preferred leaving the "Home" and hiring themselves out to two European families in this city. These new paths, however, were not altogether strewn with roses, and they soon met with disappointment and dissatisfaction. It was whilst so engaged that they were taken advantage of by the "Professor," and their implicit confidence secured from them. In fact they were taken possession of by this nefarious vendor of magnetism. Once in his possession there was no finding of them. To all inquiries made by persons in the interest of the "Home," the answers from the "Professor" as to the whereabouts of the girl were always of an evasive nature. The whole affair became thickly enveloped in an air of mystery, not solved till one day on or about the 7th of May, the door-bell of Rev. Mr. Starr's residence was rung, when the "Professor," with a Chinaman named Ah Chee, were found standing outside seeking admittance. In answer to the reverend gentleman's inquiry as to their mission, the "Professor" said they had come to see if he (Mr. Starr) would

MARRY THE CHINAMAN

to a Chinese girl, at the time in Chinatown, mentioning the name of one of the two girls referred to above. Mr. Starr refused to perform the ceremony, unless Mr. Gardner or some trustworthy interpreter could be present, giving as his reason that the majority of Chinese marriages in this country had been farcical in the extreme, at which the professor became greatly incensed. With a searching look, so characteristic of the reverend gentleman, Mr. Starr asked him, quizzingly, "Menzies, what evidence have I that you have not sold the girl?" If Mr. Starr had suddenly appeared when the sale was in the act of taking place, he could not have agitated the Professor more. His whole frame shook as by convulsion, after which he unceremoniously left. But, still undaunted, he wended his way to the Rev. Mr. Fraser's, where he met with a like disappointment though not of such a severe nature. Failing in all directions to secure his object, and carry out the contract with Ah Chee, which was to let the Celestial

HAVE THE GIRL FOR $150-

married, be, against all sense of decency and true manhood, hands the girl over, and thus knowingly aided the base and unlawful act of cohabitation; making it right with the Chinaman by representing to him that the marriage license was quite sufficient and that they were married. Ah Chee not long after discovers the imposition, and seeks the aid of the Rev. Mr. Fraser, considering him the most conversant with such matters and disliking to go near Mr. Gardner, as that gentleman had been represented to him by the "professor" as an unmitigated scoundrel. With the hope of having the marriage performed and securing the refund of the $150, Ah Chee produces the receipts and the marriage license, one of the former of which reads:

VICTORIA, April 5th, 1888.

Received of Ah Poy the sum of fifty dollars as part payment of *expenses* of Ah Lin. WALTER R. MENZIES.

And the other:

VICTORIA, May 7th, 1888.

Received of Ah Chee in full of all *charges* for the expenses of Ah Lin to date, *she being married to the said Ah Chee.* W. R. MENZIES.

The receipts, in the Professor's own hand writing, are now in safe possession, and last night Mr. Gardner accompanied by the Rev. Donald Fraser found the girl and has replaced her under the protecting influence of the "Home."

SMUGGLING LOI HO.

All trace of the younger child, Loi Ho, (who is about 14 years of age), was lost until one night about three weeks ago. On the evening in question Mr. Gardner accompanied his wife to the steamer Alaskan. Mrs. Gardner was leaving on the steamer to visit friends in San Francisco. The party, consisting of three ladies and Mr. Gardner, drove to the steamer in Mr. Sullivan's hack. Whilst Mr. Gardner was securing a ticket for his wife another party came on board, consisting of Mrs. Crawford, Prof. Menzies and a Chinese girl dressed in European clothes. The girl wore a heavy dark veil. Mrs. Gardner involuntarily exclaimed "There is Loi Ho." The Professor, Mrs. Crawford and the girl then hurriedly left the steamer and the wharf, and later on Menzies returned and left for the Sound by the same boat. Although tickets were procured for Mrs. Crawford and the girl they did not leave the city at that time. The Professor, however, went to Port Townsend and returned a day or two after. The Sound steamers and the Vancouver boats have been watched closely ever since, but the Professor, with his usual cunning, it has since been learned, took the child on the steamer Bithet to New Westminster where, it may be safely presumed, she has since been smuggled across the border. It is well known that the price of Chinese girls in Portland and San Francisco ranges from $800 to $1500. Having sold Ah Lin for $150 in Victoria, as proved by the above facts it is not unreasonable to infer that this scoundrel has profited to the extent of many hundreds by the sale of Loi Ho to some one of the infamous dens of Chinese prostitution that abound in all the cities of the coast.

Here is the story of a terrible outrage upon society, an infamous wrong upon humanity, and a scandal and disgrace to the community in which, in the broad glare of day and under the very noses of the guardians and inforcers of the law, it has so brazenly been enacted. It remains now to be seen what action will be taken to punish the miserable wretches who, for the purposes of sordid gain, have been trafficking in the bodies of poor and unfortunate Chinese girls.

PERSONAL.

Mr W Dafour of Vancouver is in the city.

Mr S Black, New Westminster, is in the city.

Dr Robertson of Vancouver is in the capital.

Very Rev Father Jonckau, V G, left for the Mainland to-day.

Capt Bole, M P P, and E S Scouler of New Westminster are in the city.

The condition of the Hon John Bright was not greatly changed yesterday.

Bubear has issued a challenge to Ross to row him in England for £200 a side.

Richard F. F. Campbell, liberal member of Ayr Burghs, of Scotland, is dead.

Mr Bell Irving has resigned his position as chairman of the Board of Works in Vancouver.

Messrs A J McColl, E C Corbould and Benj Douglas of New Westminster came over from the Mainland yesterday.

Mr. O'Connor Power will not, we learn from him, visit California, as is stated in another column of The Times to-day.

Mr. R S White, editor of the Montreal *Gazette*, son of the late Hon Thos White, was married last Monday in Montreal to Annie Ellen daughter of Capt Barclay of that city. The wedding was a private one.

Mr M McIvor, for many years chief engineer of the Yosemite, has been transferred to the same position on the Premier. Mac's genial face and happy disposition will be missed by his friends in Victoria.

The announcement of Dewdney's appointment to be minister of the interior is premature, but no doubt considerable pressure has been brought to bear on the government from the Northwest to select him for the post.

Mr A Taschereau, son of the Hon Justice Taschereau of the Supreme Court of Canada, was married yesterday in Quebec to Miss Leone Le Tellier de St Just, daughter of the late Lieut Governor. Cardinal Taschereau performed the ceremony.

At the Driard: E Matthews, Montreal; J T Ward, J R Sims and wife, San Francisco; Mr H H Rogers and wife, Mrs L Hart, Miss Rogers, New York; G S Hammond, Chicago; P Stroback and wife, Spokane Falls; R C Haughton, A Kimmer, Portland; Miss Smith, Ogden; G Broke, Eng; A Drake and wife, Winnipeg; John Dawes, Toronto; G F Chipman, A S Black, N Bichard, Dr P Herbing, Vancouver; G E Corbould, A J McColl, Capt Scoullar, New Westminster.

Mothers!

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New Church at Westminster.

New Westminster, May 30.—A meeting of the congregation of St. Andrew's (Presbyterian) Church was held last evening to consider the report of the building committee in relation to the new projected church. Two plans were submitted to the meeting but neither of them was adopted. The majority of the congregation seem to be in favor of a $20,000 edifice. After a prolonged discussion the meeting adjourned *sine die* without coming to any decision in the matter.

Look at my face and my hands—not a pimple,
Such as you saw there some time ago,
See my fresh cheeks, and I'm getting a dimple,
I don't look at all like I used to, I know.
My face was all blotches—complexion like tallow;
No wonder they thought me and called me a fright;
No one need have pimples and skin gray and sallow,
If she follows what I took, every morn, noon, and night.

I asked a delighted young woman what she referred to, and she answered, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the best beautifier in the world, because it purifies the blood, and pure blood gives good health, and good health is always beautiful.

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NEW TO-DAY.

"Coal Prospecting Act, 1884."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a license to prospect for coal on the unoccupied portion of Tumbo Island, Cowichan District, has been issued to Charles Gabriel.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 9th Feb., 1888. my29

BOARDERS—Mrs. Geo. Wise has a vacancy for two or three boarders. Apply at No. 34 Pandora street. May 29-2wk

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP which has heretofore existed between the undersigned under the name of Nesbitt & Co., Cracker Bakers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mrs. Nesbitt assuming all liabilities of the firm.

The affairs of Nesbitt & Co. will be liquidated by Mr. James R. Anderson, who alone is authorized to collect the debts due.

S. D. NESBITT,
JANE A. NESBITT.

Referring to the above we beg to announce that we have this day entered into partnership under the name or style of NESBITT, DICKSON & CO. for the purpose of carrying on the business of the late firm of Nesbitt & Co., and intend to add to the present plant modern machinery and such other facilities as may be necessary for supplying the trade of British Columbia. We respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage extended to our predecessors, to merit which every effort will be made.

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Victoria, B. C., 25th May, 1888. my29

REMOVAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO ANNOUNCE to the public that he has removed from his old stand to the

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Two doors above the Clarence Hotel.

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ESQUIMALT DISTRICT.—110 6-100 acres; Esquimalt Railway goes through it; 2 acres slashed. $1,250.00.

SHAWNIGAN DISTRICT.—Part of Sec. 7 and 8, R. 10; farm of 180 acres, water frontage; 10 acres cleared and under cultivation; 25 acres slashed and nearly burnt; good log house; barn 35 ft. x 36 ft.; Stock, 4 cows, 1 horse, 1 poke oxen, 1 wagon and implements. $2,000.00.

VICTORIA, B. C.—James Bay, Sec. 29, St. Lawrence Street; three (3) acres very good land. $7,310.00.

VICTORIA, B. C.—First Street, Work Estate. House and lot, 5 rooms land finished. Lot No. 35, Sec. 139. $1,550.00.

James Bay (Superior St.) house and lot with contents. $1,550.

James Bay (Oswego St.) house and lot. $950.

Esquimalt Rd. (Robert St.) on the harbour. Lot and half. $750.

FRASER RIVER.—Farm of 70 acres, very good land; ½ mile river frontage. $1,100.

GORDON HEAD.—20 acres of land with three acres Alder bottom. On instalment plan. $1,200.00.

SHAWNIGAN DISTRICT.—Sec. 15, R. 7, & 9, 10, also Sec. 16, R. 8, 9, 200 ac.; good boarded house; stock and implements with water frontage. $3,000.00.

Shawnigan District, 102ac., 18ac. cleared; log house, story and half; good land. $1,050.

DELTA MUNICIPALITY, New Westminster. N. West ¼ Sec. 4, Township 4, 160 acres $3,200.

VICTORIA DISTRICT—10ac. beautiful garden land, with house. $5,000.

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H. D. HAND.

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SAMUEL MAHLURE.

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